

The Connecticut Society of the Sons of the American Revolution

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"Our objects and purposes are broad and patriotic, placing before us a field for actual, legitimate work which is really unlimited. Every year of our existence must show marked progress if we are to attain the highest aims which our organization has before it."

Jonathan Trumbull,
President of Connecticut SAR, 1890

For more than 125 years, Connecticut SAR has advanced the ideals that guided the United States' fight for independence: belief in human equality; defense of public and personal liberties; self-sacrifice; and the enduring importance of individual contributions to our greater society.

As we reflect upon our legacy, we have reason for pride. Looking forward, these same ideals will continue to define Connecticut SAR's impact on the future.

Our call to action today is to continue the work our predecessors began.

- Our three historic sites and buildings need to be preserved
- Our young people need to learn from history
- Our country needs an enduring connection to the unifying values of its founders

Connecticut SAR has launched a campaign to raise \$1.25 million in endowment funding. This campaign will be our generation's most significant achievement. These funds will

- Support in-house staff to strengthen and expand our education programs around the state
- Relaunch our scholarship and historical research program
- Upgrade our exhibits and public presentations and events
- Ensure the long-term survival of our historic structures
- Raise the public profile of Connecticut SAR and its membership

Connecticut SAR's mission is to ensure that the legacy of the Revolutionary period survives in our state - in scholarship, documentation, and the landscape. By participating, you can express your gratitude for the sacrifices of Revolutionary generation, and love for Americans present and future.

The need is real. The time is now. Together, we can demonstrate greatness and generosity equal to what the organizers of Connecticut SAR envisioned 125 years ago.

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"ETERNAL VIGILANCE IS THE PRICE OF LIBERTY"